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 Method, System and Computer Readable Medium for Updating and Utilizing the Contents of a Non-Essential Region of a Memory Device

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on August 20, 2007, the applicants request further examination in light of the following amendments and remarks, which are believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.